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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Ms. Kiser and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the review of the following amendment to the San Joaquin Council of Governments (SJCOG) 2008/09-2011/12 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP):

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
21	State, Local, and Transit Elements

- Amendment adds or modifies various projects in the SJCOG region. This amendment includes projects with funding from the following programs: Regional Surface Transportation Program, Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program, Highway Bridge Program, Interstate Maintenance Discretionary Program, Highway Safety Improvement Program, High Priority Projects Program, Federal Transit Administration (FTA) 5307 Program, FTA 5309 Program, FTA 5316 Program, Proposition 1B, and Local Transportation Funds.

See enclosure.

The SJCOG Board Resolution adopting this FTIP amendment certifies that the amendment is financially constrained, consistent with the adopted conformity analysis, and meets the requirements of public involvement procedures adopted by SJCOG.

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Pursuant to the authority delegated to me, I approve SJCOG Amendment Number 21. I also recommend that the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and FTA approve this FTIP amendment for inclusion into California's 2009 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). Projects included in this FTIP amendment in fiscal years not within the four-year cycle of the current FSTIP are not approved as part of this FTIP amendment and are shown for information only. Approval of this amendment does not constitute eligibility determination of projects for federal funding.

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Lima Huy of my staff, at (916) 651-7411.

Sincerely,



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Chief
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Enclosure

- c: Karina O'Connor – EPA Office of Air Planning (w/enclosure)
- Lorraine Lerman – FTA (w/enclosure)
- Scott Carson – FHWA (w/enclosure)
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